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	Cents	Dollars
100° centrifugal N. Y. Per lb. Per ton	4.92	\$98.40
Price, Hawaiian basis	4.92	\$98.40
Best Previous Quota	4.89	\$97.80

SPAIN TO ACT IN ROME FOR FRANZ JOSEF

For First Time in the War America Has Not Been Requested To Care For Interests: Germany Refused To Ask U. S.

PARDON FOR ITALIAN MILITARY REFUGEES

Edict Will Affect Twenty Thousand Young Italians in United States—American Red Cross Offers Assistance to Rome

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, May 25.—The Marquis Cusani Confalonieri, ambassador for Italy, and Dr. K. T. Dumba, ambassador for Austria, called at the state department, each formally notifying Secretary Bryan that a state of war existed between Austria and Italy.

America Neutral

A proclamation declaring the neutrality of the United States in this newest phase of the war will be issued by the President today. Secretary of State Bryan announced last night that the American embassy at Vienna will look after the interests of Italy in Austro-Hungary, while the Austrian interests in Italy have been entrusted to the Spanish ambassador at Rome. This latter is the first time the United States has not been requested to act. It is understood that German insistence that America be not asked in this instance is the reason, Germany's attitude reflecting the friction that has arisen between Washington and Berlin over the recent submarine-riding of American ships in the war zone.

The Balkan Line-Up

The attitudes to be taken now by Greece, Rumania and Bulgaria form the absorbing topics of interest here now in official circles, as it appears to be taken for granted that these Balkan nations will not be able to stay out of the war for many more weeks. The officials of Austria and Germany profess to believe that Rumania will continue to remain neutral, while the Italian spokesmen assert that if Rumania enters into the war as an ally of Russia and Italy against Austria, as is probable, Bulgaria will either remain neutral or will join in with Rumania. The possibility of Bulgaria espousing the cause of the Austro-Germans is considered wildly improbable.

Red Cross Ready

Through Ambassador Page at London, the American Red Cross from its national headquarters here, cabled yesterday an offer of its services to Italy.

Pardon Offered to Military Refugees

(Associated Press by P. C. Cable)
NEW YORK, May 25.—Following the publication by the Italian consulate of a call to the colors of all Italian reservists in the United States between the ages of nineteen and twenty-nine, a notice was handed to the press agencies that the Italian government had issued an edict granting a blanket pardon to all fugitives from military service who might now be in the United States, provided they returned to Italy for service in the war against Austria and Germany within the next three months.

According to the publisher of L'Italia, the leading Italian journal of New York, there are at the present time twenty thousand

Hungary's Only Port Which May Soon Be Under the Guns of the Italian Battleships --- Below: The Italians Prominently In the News



Fiume, Hungary's only port, on the Adriatic.

ANOTHER NEUTRAL SUBMARINE VICTIM

Norwegian Steamer Sunk and a Rescuing Steamer Had a Narrow Escape

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, May 25.—The Norwegian steamship Minerva, bound from New York for Christiania, was torpedoed by a German submarine and sunk off the Welsh coast yesterday. Captain Apeland and his crew were able to launch their boats before their steamer went down, while the British steamer Iris, which was nearby, came to their rescue.

American Victims Home For Burial

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NEW YORK, May 24.—The bodies of Charles Frohman, the theatrical man, and eight others lost on the Lusitania arrived here today from Europe.

SPASMODIC BATTLES FOLLOW DECLARATIONS

Austro-German Forces Preparing Said To Number Nearly 750,000 Men

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
ROME, May 24.—Following close upon Italy's declaration of war upon Austria, effective this morning, hostilities opened over a wide area along the coasts and border of the two countries.

The Austrians made land and sea raids on the Adriatic coast of Italy. Austrian warships bombarded several coast points simultaneously with attacks by aeroplanes. They were driven off after a short cannonade.

DEPART FROM VIENNA

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
VIENNA, May 24.—Fighting has begun on the Italian border with a number of small battles between the Italians and the Austrians. Italian cavalry detachments have made their appearance at several points.

MOVING TREASURES SOUTH
(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
FLORENCE, May 24.—On account of the nearness of this to the scene of fighting, it is rumored that the notable works of art from various churches here and elsewhere in Northern Italy will be taken to Rome for safekeeping.

MASSING GREAT ARMY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
THE HAGUE, May 24.—It is understood here that the Germans and Austrians are massing 680,000 men on the Italian frontier.

It is believed that eventually Bulgaria and Rumania will join the Allies.

PARIS BOMBARDED

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
PARIS, May 24.—A German aeroplane of the Taube type has dropped several bombs in the northern suburbs of Paris.



Marquis di SanGiuliano, Italy's Minister of Foreign Affairs, who sent the Declaration of War to Austria.



Rear Admiral Aubrey, who commands one section of the Italian Fleet.



Vice Admiral Prince Luigi Amedeo, Duke of the Abruzzi, Commander in Chief, Italian Fleet.

U. S. IS FRIENDLY NOW, SAYS KATO

Inform Japanese Diet That the Best of Relations Exist Between Tokio and Washington

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
TOKIO, May 25.—In reply to questions as to the relations between Japan and the United States, Baron Kato, the Japanese foreign minister, informed the diet today that they had changed for the better and are now most friendly. Japan, he added, was confidently relying on the good faith of Americans to find a way out of the embarrassments created by the California Anti Alien Land Act, which forbids all those ineligible to citizenship in the United States to own land in California.

PRESIDENT ADDRESSES PAN-AMERICAN GROUP

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, May 24.—President Wilson again today emphasized the part that the United States may play in bringing world-peace, the occasion being the opening of the Pan-American financial conference, which began its sessions here with noted delegates in attendance.

Speaking of the outgrowth of problems in consequence of the war, he said he hoped the two Americas—North and South—would show the world the path to peace.

"The people of the Americas are not trying to use one another, but trying to be of use to one another," he declared.

He advocated more ships for the Pan-American trade, and said that if private capital cannot soon establish the lines, the government must undertake it.

SWISS WILL NOT FILE A PROTEST

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, May 25.—Switzerland denied through her legation here, yesterday, a dispatches from Geneva which stated that the Swiss government was preparing to send a stiff note to Germany on the death of three Swiss citizens who were killed in the destruction of the Lusitania.

Defending Fleet Has Saved New England From Invading Foe

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
BOSTON, May 25.—The attempted invasion (theoretical) of the United States has failed. The flagship of the invading squadron, the Wyoming, commanded by Admiral Fletcher, is a twisted wreck (theoretical) at the bottom of the sea, sunk by the cruiser Chester, flagship of Rear Admiral Beatty, which torpedoed (theoretical) her giant antagonist in the confusion of the battle.

The hostile fleet, in the war game now being worked out, was conveying a theoretical transport fleet towards the shores of New England, when met by the defending squadrons. The Wyoming held the center of the maneuver movements, which extended from Narragansett Bay to a point off Boston.

FIRST NOME SHIP WAS TANTALIZER

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
NOME, Alaska, May 25.—Wedged in the field ice, eight miles from shore, the coastwise steamship Corwin, the first to arrive here this summer, was held a prisoner all yesterday, while 106 passengers looked eagerly at the land and the whole town looked eagerly at the ship, for it carried the first fresh vegetables of the season and a whole cargo of other delicacies from more generous latitudes.

For a time it seemed as if the vessel might be jammed indefinitely, and dog teams were sent across the field, in the hope of releasing the passengers and unloading the cargo. Kitten ice made the attempt too dangerous to be risked and it was abandoned reluctantly.

Shortly afterward a lead opened in the floe and the Corwin was able to nose her way into port under her own steam. She sailed from Seattle May 1.

CARRANZA GAINS ANOTHER VICTORY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
EAGLE PASS, Texas, May 25.—Eight hundred troops under General Venustiano Carranza's commanders captured Monclova, yesterday, and the garrison of Coahuila, a town held by General Francisco Villa, withdrew without fighting to Paredon, where reinforcements were awaiting it.

NO RESULTS BUT BIG DEATH LISTS

Battles Along Both Eastern and Western Fronts: Both Sides Claim Advantages

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LONDON, May 25.—The battle in Central Galicia, where the Russians have taken up a strong offensive west of the San River, southeast of Przemyśl, is developing into one of the fiercest encounters of the war. The Slavs are largely reinforced and have commenced to drive back the Austro-German regiments that attempted to cut the Russian line and hem in the advance columns that had pushed through the Dukla Pass into Hungary.

The advantages in the recent fighting in this region appear to be clearly for the Russians, although von Mackensen's troops are offering a stern resistance and the slaughter is very heavy on both sides.

On the East Prussian border and in Central Poland there is also heavy fighting. Here the Germans are attacking, with the Russians holding tenaciously to their positions. Along the Rawa River another German advance is being attempted.

In this theater of the war there appears to be no decisive results, although the dispatches from Berlin and Petrograd each claim the advantage. It is apparent that both sides are losing heavily.

Russia Is Satisfied
Russia is satisfied with the situation as it exists in both Poland and Galicia, say the official Petrograd statements.

In the western theater there has been a resumption of fighting from Arras to the North Sea, with the French, British and Belgians attacking. Both French and German reports claim the general advantage, but there are no details from any source.

ROCKEFELLER DOLLARS TO HELP BAPTISTS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
LOS ANGELES, May 24.—John D. Rockefeller has contributed \$100,000 to ward eliminating the debts of the missionaries of the North Baptists. Dr. Shailer Mathews of the divinity school, University of Chicago, was elected president of the organization at the convention here today. Minneapolis was chosen as the meeting place for 1916.

BRIDE MURDERED ON BUSY STREET

Pretty Young Korean Stabbed and Slashed By Husband While On Way Home

Walking hand in hand with a girl friend on her return home from a pleasant evening spent in a moving picture theater, pretty nineteen-year-old Kim Pak Chi Ser, a Korean bride, was fiendishly attacked by her husband, a Korean man, and stabbed to death on a public highway, right in the heart of one of the busiest districts in the city, at half past nine o'clock last night. The tragedy took place on the Ewa side of Liliha street, within a few yards of King street.

After attacking the woman, the murderer fled in the direction of King street pursued by a howling mob, and was captured by Wallace Saffrey, a book-keeper at the Palama Settlement.

The woman was rushed to Queen's hospital, with all possible speed but was dead before the patrol wagon arrived. From thence she was taken to the police station and from there to the morgue.

Policeman's Servant
Kim Pak Ser had for the past month or so been in the employ of the family of Apana, the well-known police-officer and last night she and several members of the family attended the moving picture theater near Liliha and King streets.

The show over the party started to walk leisurely home. Mrs. Luhiwa Apana and her daughter Helen were walking some distance ahead of Mary, a fifteen-year-old daughter, and Sam, a little son of Apana. With them chatting gaily in the bright moonlight, and holding hands, walked Kim, as she was called by the family.

Like a Big Beast
Mary Apana said late last night that as they were passing the tenement house, Pak Chi Ser pounced upon his wife, to use her own words, "like a big beast would jump on a little one."

He placed his hands over her mouth and she screamed out in terror.

The next thing that the Apanas knew was that there was the sound of a shot and the girl was seen to stumble and then regain her feet. Greatly frightened, the Apana family ran away and on looking back saw Kim on the ground with her husband kneeling over her and thrusting at her head with something that gleamed in the moonlight.

Then a crowd gathered and people passed the word around that someone had been killed.

Fearfully the Apanas crept to the edge of the crowd and after a little while the patrol wagon came dashing up and the body of their friend and servant was lifted therein and driven away.

Fearfully Mutilated
To the Queen's Hospital sped the patrol wagon. Arrived there a doctor had only to take a cursory look at the body to see that life was extinct. A pocketknife was sticking in the girl's windpipe when the body was taken into the hospital.

The left arm was slashed open for a distance of six inches above the wrist leaving bare the sinews. In the back of the neck were two fearful knife wounds, and there were two more, one above and one below the left ear. The wounds in the neck in all probability caused death.

Poor Kim looked pitiful as she lay with her dark tresses clotted with her life's blood on the table in the morgue. Her slight figure was clad in a simple gray-colored holoku, and on her waxen features dwelt a great peace.

Hundreds In Chase
Wallace Saffrey was standing outside the Palama Mission when his attention was attracted by the shouting

TEUTONS ARE MOST BITTER TOWARD ITALY

Chant of Hate No Longer Applies As Britain Loses To Italy As Most Hated Foe of the Austrian and German Nations

ITALY ADHERES TO PACT NOT TO CONCLUDE PEACE

Enthusiastic Scenes Throughout Allied Countries At Italian Consulates When Reservists Report Prepared to Join Colors

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)

LONDON, May 25.—The developments of the past few days have made "The Chant of Hate" a thing no longer applicable. England is no longer the one best foe of the Germans and Austrians. Today Italy appears as the enemy most hated by Austria and Germany and the press of those countries teems with the most violent denunciations of their former ally, who is accused of black treachery, of attempted wholesale blackmail and of perfidy and unfaithfulness.

Ambassadors Leave

Yesterday, taking the initiative, Germany declared war upon Italy and recalled her ambassador to Rome, Prince von Buelow, who, with the princess and the staff of the German embassy, had taken refuge at the Vatican. Last night, the ambassador and staff and the representatives of Germany at both the Quirinal and the Vatican left Rome for Austria.

The Italian ambassador at Vienna, Signor Avarna, with his staff, also left his post, taking a special train for the Italian border. There was no demonstration against him on the part of the populace.

Italian Consul Murdered

Tragedy attended the attempt of the Italian consul at Constantinople to leave that city. According to a special dispatch from Odessa to the Exchange Telegraph, that official was set upon by a Constantinople mob and beaten to death.

Throughout the Allied countries there is enthusiasm over Italy's definite step in participation in the war. Yesterday, in France and throughout Great Britain, at all the Italian consulates there were demonstrations and cheering for the Italian reservists as they reported for service with their regiments.

No Separate Peace

Great enthusiasm has been occasioned also by the publication of the fact that Italy has unreservedly allied herself with the Allies and has subscribed to the agreement previously signed by Great Britain, France, Russia and Serbia that no separate peace will be entered into with either Germany, Austria or Turkey.

GERMAN REPLY ON FRYE SINKING READY

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless.)
WASHINGTON, May 24.—Ambassador Gerard has cabled from Berlin that Germany will shortly send a formal reply to the American note asking reparation, without reference to court proceedings, for the owners of the American ship William F. Frye, sunk at sea by the Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

A statement designed to clear the misunderstanding between America and Great Britain over certain commercial matters has been handed to Secretary of State Bryan by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador. The statement deals with the matter of the participation of the state department and foreign trade advisers in the arrangements regarding cotton cargoes, and states that the arrangements are unofficial.